

I am asking you not to implement any proposal that would lessen Indiana's Telephone Privacy law protections. Before this law was passed I subscribed to a telephone service called Privacy Manager that cost around \$6.00 a month. This service screened my calls and no 'unknown' callers could get through unless they stated their name. Unwanted calls dropped to almost nothing. After the law was passed I dropped Privacy Manager and the calls have not increased appreciably. (I would have re-instated Privacy Manager if they had). If you over ride our state law and allow companies to call 'previous customers' you will re-open the Pandora's box of telemarketers for Indiana residents. I may have to get Privacy Manager again which will not make me very happy to have to pay for a service when our law had stopped most unwanted calls.

Thank you for taking the time to read this.

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